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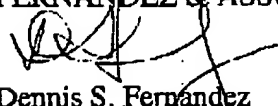
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Dear Sirs:

Applicant respectfully requests status information for the above-referenced non-provisional patent application filed with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on the date indicated above. As of the date of the appeal brief (6/18/2003), Applicant has not yet received an official action or any other communication of a substantive nature pertaining to this Application since its filing.

If an expedited response to this status inquiry is possible, the undersigned attorney for Applicant can be reached by phone at (650) 325-4999 or via facsimile at (650) 325-1203.

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